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AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE 1982 ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, AS AMENDED, ENACTING A NEW 16-20C.005(2)(e); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

BE AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, as follows:

SECTION 1: THAT a new Section 16-20C.005(2)(e) of the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Atlanta, as amended, is hereby enacted:

- (2) Permitted accessory uses and structures:
- e. Swimming pools, tennis courts, and similar active recreation facilities subject to the following limitations:
 - i. Such active recreation facilities in any yard, required or other, adjacent to a street shall require a special exception from the urban design commission, which special exception shall be granted only upon finding that:
 - (1) The location will not be objectionable to occupants of neighboring property, or the neighborhood in general, by reason of noise, lights, or concentrations of persons or vehicular traffic, and
 - (2) The area for such activity could not reasonably be located elsewhere on the lot.
 - ii. The urban design commission may condition any special exception for such facilities based on concerns regarding fencing, screening or other buffering, existence and/or location of lighting, hours of use, and such other matters as are reasonably required to ameliorate any potential negative impacts of the proposed facility on adjoining property owners.

SECTION 2: THAT all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.